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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
	09/580,448	SNYDER, SCOTT ANDREW
	Examiner	Art Unit
	Narayanswamy Subramanian	3691

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Narayanswamy Subramanian. (3) _____.

(2) Dr. David Raczkowski (Reg. No. 52,145). (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 10 October 2007.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Jacobs, Walker.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Dr. Raczkowski explained the salient features of the applicant's invention. Proposed amendments to the claim that overcome the cited prior art were also discussed. Dr. Raczkowski agreed to file a supplemental amendment that would show where in the specification support for the proposed amendments can be found. Examiner agreed to consider the supplemental amendment before sending the next office action.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

N. Subramanian 10/10/07
(Primary Examiner)
Examiner's signature, if required

Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/580,448 First Named Applicant: Scott Andrew Snyder
 Examiner: Dr. N. Subramanian Art Unit: 3691 Status of Application: Non-Final rejection

Tentative Participants:

(1) Dr. N. Subramanian (2) Dr. David Raczkowski

(3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: 10-5-07 Proposed Time: 2 PM EDT (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: YES NO
 If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc.)	Claims Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) Rej	1	Sammon, Jacobs, Walker	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

On accompanying sheet entitled Interview agenda

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on Oct 10, 2007.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

David Raczkowski

David B. Raczkowski

N. Subramanian

Examiner/SPE Signature

10/10/07

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